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CASH TALKS AND TALKS LOUD.

Don't forget your cash
as these are cash
prices.

BEST

CALICOES 5 Cents.

For the next 30 days
I wil sell all

10 cent rtaicles at	7 cts
25 " "	10 cts
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\$100 " "	79 cts
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Suits worth \$16.00 now	\$13.00
Suits worth 15.00 now	12.00
Suits worth 12.00 now	9.00
Suits worth 8.00 now	6.50
Suits worth 7.50 now	5.50

YOUTHS'

Suits worth \$5.50 now	\$4.00
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CHILDRENS'

Suits from 80 cents to \$2

Boys' Corduroy pants were
50 cents now 39 cents

Prices on Shoes the same as
other goods Come while
they last

Don't forget the Cash.

SKIRTS

A lot of Ladies Skirts, were
\$3 to \$4, now \$1.50 to \$2.50;
a great bargain

A lot of Linolium Carpet and
Rugs.

COME NOW.

G. T. JOHNSON

O. K. STORE. Mt. Vernon, Ky.

THREE TIMES FOR PRESIDENT.

HENRY CLAY, ANDREW JACKSON
AND GROVER CLEVELAND THUS
HONORED.

Twelve years ago William J. Bryan was nominated for the Presidency of the United States at Chicago for the first time. Mr. Bryan was renominated in 1900 without a dissenting vote. But the convention did not acknowledge his dictatorship, repudiated his candidate for Vice President and came near rejecting his demand that the free silver coinage declaration of 1896 should be reaffirmed.

In 1904 Judge Parker was nominated without difficulty, but a vigorous opposition developed within the convention, and, winning a victory in the Resolution Committee forced him to write his old standard telegram, and thus created dissensions which helped to aggravate his defeat. It was in the 1904 convention that Mr. Bryan made a most vigorous campaign in the committee on Resolutions, the session of that lasting for hours. For the third time Mr. Bryan has become the candidate of his party. Three times was Henry Clay an unsuccessful candidate for President. Three times Andrew Jackson was a candidate for President and twice he was elected. In 1824 the election went into the National House of Representatives, and John Quincy Adams was chosen. Grover Cleveland's record equaled Jackson's. James G. Blaine was an aspirant for the nomination for President at the hands of the Republicans three times, but landed the prize only once. William J. Bryan was born in March, 1860, at a time when the country was deep in trouble, so that he has been the party nominee three times before his fiftieth year. His career has been varied. His aptitude for politics was early marked, and his absolute control of a great national party like the Democratic has stamped him among men as an adept in his line. A remarkable feature of the nomination of Mr. Bryan is that the former big leader of the party were absent from the convention and he ran the machine himself, took the nomination tendered him and dictated its policies.

—Philadelphia Ledger.

THE DOCTOR AWAY FROM HOME WHEN MOST NEEDED.

People are often very much disappointed to find that their family physician is away from home when they most need his services. Diseases like cramp colic and cholera morbus requires prompt treatment, and have in many instances proven fatal before medicine could be procured or a physician summoned. The right way is to keep at hand a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy. No physician can prescribe a better medicine for these diseases. By having it in the house you can escape much pain and suffering and all risk. Buy it now; it may save life. For sale by Chas. C. Davis.

SUNFLOWER PHILOSOPHY.

Pray for the things you want, but work for the things you must have.

Before accepting a favor look for the string that may be tied to it. Complaining of the folly of fashion is as useless as complaining when the weather is bad.

Never tell a friend anything that would not look well in print with your name signed to it.

You didn't have the right kind of a good time if you are not good natured the next day after you had it.

Working after you have had a few glasses of beer in the middle of the day is like trying to work after dark.

There are lots of men who seem worthless until compared with a girl who has just returned from a vacation.

WAR AGAINST CONSUMPTION.

All nations are endeavoring to check the rages of consumption, the "white plague" that claims so many victims each year. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds perfectly and you are in no danger of consumption. Do not risk your health by taking some unknown preparation when Foley's Honey and Tar is safe and certain in results.

NEWS ITEMS

Dispatches received at Managua state that the Honduran revolutionist have evacuated Choluteca.

The American Federation of Miners is holding its sixteenth annual convention in Denver.

Four New Jersey boys died Monday of lockjaw due to accidents on the Fourth of July.

A landslide which occurred at Ronco, Italy, buried several peasant houses. Nine persons were killed.

Many sites for the new Government buildings in Winchester and Lebanon have been offered the Government.

Dr. Benjamin Letcher, former superintendent of the Western Kentucky Asylum for the Insane, died at Henderson.

Frank H. Hitchcock, chairman of the Republican National Committee, has selected headquarters in the Metropolitan building in New York.

George N. Tillman declares he will not accept the Republican nomination for Governor of Tennessee. Ill health is given as the reason for his declining.

Honolulu has completed all arrangements for the entertainment of the Atlantic battleship fleet and awaits the coming of the ships with the greatest interest.

Reports have been received at the State Department from Venezuela by way of Willemstad saying that there has been no cases of the plague at Caracas since June 29.

Proceedings in Harry K. Thaw's application for a jury trial to determine his mental condition have been adjourned until the September term of the Supreme Court of Westchester county.

James T. Cunningham, a farmer of Logan county, was killed by Rufus Browder, a negro hand, whom he had discharged. The negro was captured and taken to the Russellville jail.

Gov. Wilson has declined to call an extra session for the passage of the county unit bill, and so wrote to the secretary of the Lexington Methodist conference, which recently passed resolutions asking him to convene the General Assembly.

The sale of 7,000,000 pounds by the Burley Tobacco Society at 16 cents is reported. Gus A. Brooks

secretary of the Burley Society at Winchester, when called up refused to either deny or affirm the sale, but the report is generally believed to be true. This means much for this entire community. It will cut loose a big amount of money to the great delight of many burley raisers, who had badly needed it. It will relieve a financial situation for many that was becoming threatening.

The news will be good to all, as it not only proves that tobacco is holding its own in price, but is sufficiently in demand to bring about long looked for sales. It is also encouraging to those who have pooled their crops to realize that after all, they have not made their many sacrifices in vain.

The chief reason why the officers of the Burley Society are declined to affirm or deny is that the organization's executive committee has made a recent rule not to give out information on sales.

This is what Hon. Jake Moore, State Warden of Georgia, says of Kodol for Dyspepsia: "E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago Ill.—Dear Sirs—I have suffered more than twenty years from indigestion.

About eighteen months ago I had grown so much worse that I could not digest a crust of corn bread and could not retain anything on my stomach. I lost 25 lbs; in fact I made up my mind that I could not live but a short time, when a friend of mine recommended Kodol.

I consented to try it to please him and was better in one day. I now weigh more than I ever did in my life and am in better health than for many years. Kodol did it. I keep a bottle constantly; and write this hoping that humanity may be benefited. Yours very truly, Jake C. Moore, Atlanta, Aug. 10, 1904." Chas. C. Davis' drug store. 50c. and \$1.00.

Trial bottle free.

THE REMEDY THAT DOES.

"Dr. King's New Discovery is the remedy that does the healing other promise but fail to perform," says Mrs. E. R. Pierson, of Auburn Centre, Pa.

"It is curing me of throat and lung trouble of long standing, that other treatments relieved only temporarily. New Discovery is doing me so much good that I feel confident its continued use for a reasonable length of time will restore me to perfect health."

This renowned cough and cold remedy and throat and lung healer is sold at Chas. C. Davis' drug store. 50c. and \$1.00.

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The tobacco crop in Western Kentucky is good. There is an increase in acreage of 25 per cent.

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Three miles South of Mt. Vernon.

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DEATH DUEL IN MIDAIR.

An irate citizen says that hereafter he wants the editors to mind their own business. My dear Christian friend, did you ever reflect, in your contemplative moments, when the moon is beaming, when the whippoorwill sings in the tree, when the hired man snores in the loft, the yellow dog sleeps on the lea, and the mosquito gets in his work,—did you ever reflect in such times upon the idea that a paper containing only accounts of the editor's own private business would be apt to prove monotonous to the general public? They might stand it for a while, but in the end it would be a thorn in the side and a weariness to the flesh, and all that sort of thing. No, brother, the true editor's business is to make everybody's business his business. That's business. So there's no use in making a chronic kicker of yourself for any one.

As the man continued to watch with interest he noticed that the bird appeared to be in difficulty, and finally it came flapping to the ground. Filmore ran forward and found that the hawk had its talons fastened in the body of a weasel, which had managed to squirm about until its sharp teeth were imbedded in the bird's neck. In this position the little animal had been sucking the blood of its captor.

The hawk was already almost dead, and the body of the weasel was so badly torn that Filmore dispatched both and took them home to show to his friends.—[York (Penn.) Cor. Philadelphia Record.]

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is good for cuts, burns, bruises and scratches. It is especially good for piles. Recommended and sold by Chas. C. Davis.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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For County Court Clerk.
We are authorized to announce G. T. JOHNSON as a candidate for County Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce FELIX BOWMAN as a candidate for County Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican party.

FOR JAILER

We are authorized to announce CAM MULLINS as a candidate for Jailer of Rockcastle County, subject to the action of the Republican party.

FOR ASSESSOR

We are authorized to announce W. A. TAYLOR as a candidate for Assessor of Rockcastle County, subject to the action of the Republican party.

CALE Powers is to make his first appearance on the lecture platform at Madison Chautauqua New York, August 8, his subject "Right Upon the Scaffold and Wrong Upon the Throne." Powers may immortalize himself in distant lands, as a lecturer and hero, but as to the latter, especially, he need not expect much, when he comes closer home.

BRYAN and Kern sounds good to us, and if the signs of the time indicate anything at all, they will be elected President and Vice President next November. From every section comes the glad tidings, that the Democrats stand as a unit for Bryan and Kern, and that the dissension and strife which has heretofore existed, is now a thing of the past.

Members of the Democratic National Committee and a number of others holding proxies conferred with W. J. Bryan and J. W. Kern the Presidential and Vice Presidential nominees, respectively, at the Bryan home Monday with reference to vital matters of campaign management.

Mr. Bryan on behalf of himself and Mr. Kern, read the following: "Gentlemen of the Committee: The platform recently adopted by the National Committee of our party at Denver contains the following pledge:

"We pledge the Democratic party to the enactment of a law prohibiting any corporation contributing to a campaign fund and any individual contributing an amount above a reasonable amount and providing for the publication before election of all contributions above a reasonable minimum".

"Mr. Kern and I are in hearty sympathy with this pledge, and are gratified at its adoption. With its fulfillment a new era in American politics will begin. Elections will then be regulated as public affairs and the influences which control them, instead of being secret, will be known to the voters."

"An earnest token that our party will make good its pledges we ask you to construe this plank and put it into immediate operation. This can be done by the adoption of a resolution announcing in pursuance of the policy outlined in that pledge your committee will not accept any contribution whatever from any corporation; that it will not accept any contribution from an individual above a reasonable amount and that it will make publication before election of all

contributions above a reasonable minimum. We suggest for your approval a maximum of \$10,000 and a minimum of \$100, no contribution to be received above \$10,000 and all contributions above \$100 to be made public before the election.

"We suggest also that on or before the 15th day of October publication shall be made of all contributions above \$100 received upon that date; and that after the 15th of October publication shall be made of such contributions at the time the same are received and that no contributions above \$100 shall be accepted within three days of the election."

SUGGESTION ADOPTED.

The following resolution was thereupon adopted:

"Resolved, That the Democratic National Committee, in pursuance of the pledges given in the national platform recently adopted at Denver, announces that it will accept no contributions whatever from corporations; that it will accept no individual contributions above \$10,000 and that it will make public before the election all individual collections above \$100, contributions received before October 15 being published on or before that date, and contribution received after that date being published upon the date on which they are received and that no contributions above \$100 shall be accepted within three days of the election."

Another resolution requests Democrats all over the country to organize themselves immediately into Democratic clubs to assist the committee in its work of the coming campaign.

A New York dispatch tells the story of the steamer Adriatic for Europe, carrying the richest aggregation of financiers that ever crossed the Atlantic or any ocean in a single ship."

They're off in a bunch, as they say upon the racecourse, for gay "Paree," and also Monte Carlo. They are serenely happy because the President has nominated as his successor a gentleman who will not seek to twist the tail of High Finance, who will never tinker with the tariff. They believe that a sufficient grist of gold plumped down in the hopper of the Republican machine, will grind out victory at the polls in November, and that then will follow the picnic by day and the fireworks by night for the "let us alone" class for the next four years.

Why not a little spree in London and Paris, in Nice and Monte Carlo in Vienna and Rome—and even east o' Suez, where there ain't no ten commandments—for a ship load of plutocrats who have planked down the spondulies deemed necessary for the Republican campaign, one cent of every dollar to be used by George Runsey Sheldon under the spot light of publicity and ninety-and-nine to be put more practical use with the aid of a dark lantern?

The pirates of High Finance are as merry as the Pirates of Penzance. Their candidates have been nominated, their cofers have been opened, their confidence has been restored. They hope for a purchased triumph in November and a hog-killing therewith. They go down to the sea in ships to celebrate. Their nostrils are filled with the scent of the carnage to come. Shiploads of them are departing to spend in the land of kings and queens part of what they have won and expect to win in the land of acres and razors.

Sing high, sing ho! Confidence is returning!—Courier-Journal.

Just a little Cascasweet is all that is necessary to give your baby when it is cross and peevish. Cascasweet contains no opiates nor harmful drugs and is highly recommended by mothers everywhere. Conforms to the National Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold by Chas. C. Davis.

FOR SALE—My farm of 100 acres near Wildie, known as the Elizabeth Hayes farm. Well set in grass, has good houses, good orchard, good running water. Will sell at a bargain. Call and see me before buying elsewhere.

MARY HAYES,
Mildie, Ky.
July 10

Bert Barber, of Elton, Wis., says: "I have only taken four doses of your Kidney and Bladder Pills and they have done for me more than any other medicine I have ever had. I am still taking the pills as I want a perfect cure." Mr. Barber refers to DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. Sold by Chas. C. Davis.

POLITICS AND POLITICIANS

Samuel Gompers and other labor leaders called on William J. Bryan at Fairview Monday and pledged him their support. John W. Kern, the Democratic nominee for Vice President, also arrived at Mr. Bryan's home. The members of the Democratic National Committee will arrive to-day. Of the names mentioned for national committeeman, those looked upon with most favor are said to be Daniel J. Campan and John E. Lamb. Oliver James also is favorably mentioned.

LOCAL OPTION IN NORWAY

"The cause of temperance is working great headway in Norway. We have adopted the local option policy with excellent results," said P. Anenson, a manufacturer of white paper, from Skien, Norway. "When ever the people of a certain district or county wish to abolish drinking houses an election is held, at which all adult males in that territory are supposed to vote. If any are absent their votes are counted for prohibition. Another election cannot be held until after five years, and it is very seldom that a second vote is ever taken when a community once votes against license. Another thing that has made national sobriety is the regulation, in many places, that liquor can not be bought except by the bottle, and requiring the purchaser to take the bottle to his home before using any of its contents."—Baltimore American.

It was decided at the meeting that Indianapolis and Louisville, which is represented by Cary B. Lewis, be the central points where literature will be disseminated for all anti Taft negro movement.

The Democrats of Maine in convention at Bangor Wednesday nominated Obediah Gardner, of Rockland, for Governor and sent a telegram to W. J. Bryan pledging him their support.

A letter was read from A. E. Manning, vice President of the National Anti-Taft organization, stating that many leading negroes were at Denver who would support Bryan and that they would soon begin an effective organization.

Owners of the Kentucky School of Medicine and the Louisville and Hospital School of Medicine have agreed on terms of consolidation. This combination will be perfected and the single school be opened in the fall. So far as the medical department of the University of Louisville is not included in the definite consolidation plans.

A crowd of 5,000 people gathered in the court house yard in Indianapolis Tuesday night to welcome John W. Kern, the Democratic nominee for Vice President of the United States. The meeting was nonpartisan, but was thoroughly enthusiastic. Vice President Fairbanks made the introductory address and Mr. Kern responded in a speech of twenty minutes.

Judge Amos Davis, of Morgan county was nominated by the Tenth District Democratic Convention at Estill Springs for Congress. He won by the narrow margin of one third of a vote which was afterward made unanimous. It was not until after the thirteenth ballot that Judge Davis was successful. Judge Davis is a native of Morgan county and is nearly 70 years old. He has been elected to office several times in his county by Democrats.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought!
Bears the
Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

The function of the kidneys is to strain out the impurities of the blood which is constantly passing through them. Foley's Kidney Remedy makes the kidneys healthy. They will strain out all waste matter from the blood. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy and soon will be promoted to rear admiral.

WHITE'S Cream Vermifuge
THE GUARANTEED
WORM REMEDY
BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.
THE GENUINE PREPARED ONLY BY
Ballard-Snow Liniment Co.
ST. LOUIS, MO.

Sold by Chas. C. Davis.

A BIT OF HISTORY

How the Gigantic Standard Oil Company Got Its Start.

Cleveland, Ohio.—The history of the beginning of the Standard Oil company and the general conditions that existed in the oil trade previous to the combination of the refiners, was recited by Lewis Emery, Jr., of Bradford, Pa., in the government's case against the Standard Oil company here. Mr. Emery said that up to 1872 the refiners in Pennsylvania were rivals and were independent, but that the rivalry was among the oil buyers, who bid for the oil. The refiners, he said, sold to the buyer who would pay the highest price. This, he said, changed between 1872 and 1875, when, in the latter year, competition ceased entirely.

The United States Government has filed a petition in the Jamestown Exposition Federal Court litigation at Norfolk, asking protection as a creditor of the exposition on account of its \$1,000,000 loan and claiming priority of payments over everything else owned by the company.

All the Peoria distillers have started proceedings against Internal Revenue Collector Rennick to prevent the enforcement of the law in regard to the Isabels on their products.

The coming of Arthur I. Vorys of Ohio, to Hot Springs, Va., is accepted as indicating that he regards the Ohio situation as demanding attention from Mr. Taft.

The Shriners' Imperial Council at St. Paul voted to hold the conclave of 1909 in Louisville. Edwin L. Alderman, of Marion, Iowa, was elected Imperial Potentate.

SUNDAY DRAWS BIG CROWDS
Noted Baseball Evangelist a Sensation in Illinois.

Decatur, Ill.—William A. Sunday, the ex-baseball player evangelist, has closed a five weeks' revival service in this city, reported to be the most successful series of meetings ever held. According to figures given out, the total number of conversions reached at the meetings was 5,842. The free-will offering Sunday exceeded \$10,000. This money goes to Sunday, out of which he pays his staff and other expenses. The total collections for the meetings amounted to \$17,000.

Sunday, it is estimated, he preached to 19,000 people. Seven thousand people heard his "booze" sermon in the afternoon at the tabernacle, and many others were turned away for lack of room. The imminence of the spring election, at which time local option will be an issue in most of the cities and towns in central and northern Illinois, has made the meetings of special interest and has drawn people from towns as far away as fifty miles.

At Bloomington, before coming here, Mr. Sunday's converts were reported as 4,200. He goes from here to Charleston.

FORTUNE TO CHARITY

Illinois Man Leaves Thousands to Church and School Institutions. Bloomington, Ill., Sept. 1.—Illinois religious and educational institutions profit by the will of Wesley B. Harvey, of Tazewell county.

He left the Illinois Wesleyan University of this city \$20,000; Grand Prairie seminary, at Onarga, land worth \$25,000; Methodist Episcopal church of the central Illinois conference land valued at \$25,000; Presbyterians board of relief for aged ministers, \$1,000.

There are bequests for the James Milliken university, of Decatur; Womans college, of Jacksonville, and Devenues hospital of Peoria.

Heroism Rewarded.

Denver, Colo.—For his heroism in overpowering Giuseppe Alla, the condemned murderer of Father Leo Heinrichs, when he attempted to escape from jail last Saturday, Guy Sexton, a trusty prisoner, who was serving a short sentence, has been paroled by Governor Buchtel. Sexton was cut in the neck with a razor by Alla, receiving a severe wound. A scissor blade was found concealed in a sleeve of Alla's coat. Each side of the blade had been ground or filed to a sharp edge.

An Official Denial.

Rome, Italy.—A denial has been made at the Italian court of a marriage engagement between the Duke of the Abruzzi, a cousin of King Victor Emmanuel, and Miss Katherine Elkins, daughter of Senator Elkins, of West Virginia. The Duke of the Abruzzi, it was stated, is expected to be in Rome on March 28 to present at a lecture by the Prince of Monaco on oceanography. He is now commanding the battleship Regina Elena and soon will be promoted to rear admiral.

Night Riders' Fire Extinguished.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 1.—Night riders made an attempt to burn the tobacco barn of Judge Lewis Apperson, at Slidell, Montgomery county. A blaze was started in two places, but the fire was discovered and extinguished. Bottles filled with coal oil were found, and tracks of men discovered. Telephone wires in the neighborhood were cut. Apperson is a member of the Law and Order League.

TO THE INSURING PUBLIC.

On April 18th, I suffered a loss of my entire stock of goods by fire, which was insured in the New York Underwriters Agency represented by Mr. E. S. Albright of Mt. Vernon. On May 5th, I received a check in full settlement of every dollar called for in the policy. I can heartily recommend Mr. Albright and his companies to any one, wanting fire insurance.

Very Truly

C. H. FRITH.

The Kentucky Railroad Commissioners has filed a bill of exception in the United States Court at Frankfort in appeal to the recent decision of Judge Cochran in which he holds the commission cannot fix freight rates.

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PERSONAL

Miss Alza Thompson is visiting in Stanford.

Esmer Asbill, of Winchester, is spending a few days here.

Judge L. W. Bethurum spent several days in Louisville.

Mr. Den McClellan, the stave man, is here from Somerset.

Mrs. Tilman Gilpin, of St. Louis is the guest of Mrs. D. E. Davis.

Quite a number from here are in attendance at the Crab Orchard fair.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lawrence spent a few days in Louisville this week.

Howard Baker left Wednesday for Kansas, where he will probably locate.

Miss Myrtle Adams is visiting her sister, Miss Lizzie Adams of this place.

Miss Maranda McKenzie will begin her school at Chestnut Grove Monday.

Mrs. Harry Magee spent part of the week with her sister, Mrs. R. A. Sparks.

Mr. Z. T. Hansel has been suffering for the past few days with a couple of broken ribs.

Elza Langford spent Sunday until Tuesday with Jailer O. V. Jarret. He is rapidly recovering.

G. B. Sutton, of Bee Lick, is closing out his stock of goods preparing to go west in the early fall.

Walter Mullins and wife arrived Sunday from Colorado. They will more than likely remain in Mt. Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Shade McLemore of Wilton, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McLemore, on Richmond St.

J. T. Bowling, stenographer in Atty. C. C. Williams' office is taking a month's vacation and visiting his mother at Hyden.

Capt. A. H. Evans, of Brodhead the best post master in the state is reported very dangerously ill and his recovery is very doubtful.

Mr. J. Henry Fish has returned from a several month's pleasant visit in the west. He is looking well and says he is feeling fine.

Mr. Isaac Williams and little daughter, of Laurel county, spent Saturday and Sunday here the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Fred Asher.

Mesdames Maret and Lawrence write from Galveston, Texas, that they made the trip without a delay and are enjoying immensely, the splendid Gulf breeze.

M. C. Williams, after a pleasant stay of ten days with relatives here has returned to his home in Somerset. Mrs. Williams will spend a few days in Stanford before returning.

Luther Mullins, L. & N. brakeman, was considerably bruised up in a wreck Wednesday night. He was brought here yesterday morning. His injuries are not thought to be serious.

Patsy Johnson, Eminent Past Grand Commander of the State Commandery, and a Sir Knight, of Lebanon, Ky., Commandery, and Master of trains W. O. Dilly of the same Commandery, attended the Royal Arch Chapter Convocation here last Monday.

Hon. Harvey Helm is back from a trip to Panama, greatly pleased with the way the big ditch is being dug. By the way Mr. Helm has just been appointed a delegate to the international Conference to be held at Berlin, Germany, Sept. 10, 11, 12 to represent the American Group of Interparliamentary Union.—Interior Journal.

LOCAL

To day and to-morrow county teacher's examinations.

The Mt. Vernon Roller Mill made its first flour yesterday.

The L. & N. will sell tickets to Stanford July 22-23 and 24 for \$1.00 round trip account of the Lincoln county fair.

There will be a game of baseball tomorrow afternoon on Mt. Vernon's ground between the home team and the Walnut Grove nine.

Whether our correspondents have gone on a strike or all gone to the Crab Orchard Fair we are unable to figure out, but at any rate, they have forgotten us this week.

The first farmer to bring in new wheat, to the Mt. Vernon Roller Mills, is that prosperous and progressive citizen, Gus Staverson. Mr. Beatty says it was a high grade wheat.

Jack Adams is expected to arrive at Brodhead Sunday or Monday with a car load of horses. It is his intention to sell them privately instead of having a sale, as he did before.

Neal Parrott and son Ben, have the contract for building the new addition to Atty. C. C. Williams' residence. The fact that the work will be promptly and properly done goes without saying.

The Crab Orchard Base Ball nine defeated Mt. Vernon's team on the former's grounds last Saturday by a score of 7 to 3. The Mt. Vernon boys are anything but pleased with the outcome of the game.

The Crab Orchard Fair is a howling success. Wednesday and yesterday witnessed the largest crowds ever gathered at a fair in that town. Lots of good horses and other stock are on exhibition. The fair closes this afternoon.

Miss Myrtle Adams is visiting her sister, Miss Lizzie Adams of this place.

Miss Maranda McKenzie will begin her school at Chestnut Grove Monday.

Mrs. Harry Magee spent part of the week with her sister, Mrs. R. A. Sparks.

Mr. Z. T. Hansel has been suffering for the past few days with a couple of broken ribs.

Elza Langford spent Sunday until Tuesday with Jailer O. V. Jarret. He is rapidly recovering.

G. B. Sutton, of Bee Lick, is closing out his stock of goods preparing to go west in the early fall.

Walter Mullins and wife arrived Sunday from Colorado. They will more than likely remain in Mt. Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Shade McLemore of Wilton, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McLemore, on Richmond St.

J. T. Bowling, stenographer in Atty. C. C. Williams' office is taking a month's vacation and visiting his mother at Hyden.

Capt. A. H. Evans, of Brodhead the best post master in the state is reported very dangerously ill and his recovery is very doubtful.

Mr. J. Henry Fish has returned from a several month's pleasant visit in the west. He is looking well and says he is feeling fine.

Mr. Isaac Williams and little daughter, of Laurel county, spent Saturday and Sunday here the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Fred Asher.

Mesdames Maret and Lawrence write from Galveston, Texas, that they made the trip without a delay and are enjoying immensely, the splendid Gulf breeze.

M. C. Williams, after a pleasant stay of ten days with relatives here has returned to his home in Somerset. Mrs. Williams will spend a few days in Stanford before returning.

Luther Mullins, L. & N. brakeman, was considerably bruised up in a wreck Wednesday night. He was brought here yesterday morning. His injuries are not thought to be serious.

Patsy Johnson, Eminent Past Grand Commander of the State Commandery, and a Sir Knight, of Lebanon, Ky., Commandery, and Master of trains W. O. Dilly of the same Commandery, attended the Royal Arch Chapter Convocation here last Monday.

Hon. Harvey Helm is back from a trip to Panama, greatly pleased with the way the big ditch is being dug. By the way Mr. Helm has just been appointed a delegate to the international Conference to be held at Berlin, Germany, Sept. 10, 11, 12 to represent the American Group of Interparliamentary Union.—Interior Journal.

Respectfully yours,
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Mr. "Fate" Payne, aged about 65 years, died at his home at Altamont, Monday after an illness of several months, of a complication of diseases. He was buried Wednesday. He was formerly a citizen of this county and was an honorable, up-right citizen. He leaves one sister, Mrs. Nancy Jane Searcy, still living in this county.

In a dispatch of Saturday to The Louisville Times, the correspondent told how many honors were carried away by Kentuckians, very prominent among those honored being Capt. R. M. Jackson of our city: It read:

"The Bluegrass State started off early on Tuesday. R. M. Jackson, delegate from the Eleventh district, had presented to Temporary Chairman Theodore Bell a gavel hewed from a Spanish gun block which a Kentucky mountain boy had carried back to the hills with him after his campaign in Cuba."

The Convention was opened with this gavel, and Capt. Jackson brought it back with him to be placed with his collection of guns, knives and other curios.—London Sentinel.

A special from London dated the 14th says:—During a heavy rainstorm this afternoon about five o'clock, lightning struck the chimney of the residence of the Rev. David Asher, living about four miles northeast of London. Two children, Mattie, aged 4, and Robert, aged 7, were killed outright. Minnie Asher, aged 10, was shocked so badly that she is not expected to recover. All the family was badly shocked, but it is thought that no other will suffer seriously.

Asher belongs to a prominent family and is a minister of the Baptist church.

Rev. Asher is a cousin of our townsman, F. R. Asher.

A later report says that Rev. Asher and his ten year old daughter, who were thought to be seriously injured, will recover.

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Senator James B. McCrory, who took an active part in the National Democratic Convention, returned from Denver Sunday night. He said that the strongest ticket possible was nominated and that the platform adopted was the most decisive and positive declaration that has been made by the Democratic party in years. He predicts Democratic success.

Dallas Texas, is planning to entertain 100,000 visitors this week during the annual convention of the Elks, which began on Monday.

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Philadelphia Record.

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In California will hereafter be known as the Cleveland National Forest. It has been so rechristened by President Roosevelt in honor of the late President, under whose administration the first national forests were created.

GIUSEPPE ALIA, convicted of the murder of Father Leo Heinrichs, whom he shot to death in St. Elizabeth's Catholic church in Denver on February 23, is under sentence to be hanged some time during the present week.

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